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Applicant:	Ngoc Anh Le et al.	Docket:	16800-48860
Serial No.:	10/527,510	Confirmation No.:	9967
Intl. Filing Date:	11 September 2003	Group Art Unit:	Unassigned
Due Date:	05 December 2005	Examiner:	Unassigned
Title:	Methods of Assessing Endothelial Dysfunction Using Acute Transient Response Following Fat Administration		

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RE: Serial No. 10/527,510 ✓
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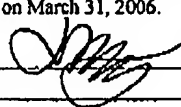
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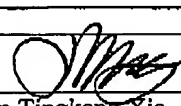
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Number of Claims Filed	In Excess of:	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
Basic Filing Fee				
Total Claims	20	40	25.00	
Independent Claims	3	10	100.00	
REQUEST FOR PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (SMALL ENTITY)				\$795.00
SURCHARGE -LATE FILING FEE OF DECLARATION (SMALL ENTITY)				\$65.00
TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED				\$28850.00

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Applicant believes that the submission of these papers complete the filing of all necessary papers and respectfully requests that the referenced application be passed along for examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/10/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/10/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/10/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/10/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 03/10/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

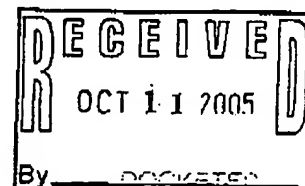
The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.



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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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